

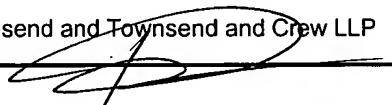
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ELECTION

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Sir:

This Election is responsive to the Office Action mailed on July 26, 2005. The restriction in the Office Action was as follows: Group I (claims 18, 19, 38-43 and 56-61 directed to an apparatus); and Group II (claims 34-37 directed to a method).

Applicants elect the claims of Group I, without traverse. A favorable Office Action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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